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In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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For: CASHDRAWER APPARATUS	:	

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed May 6, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A cashdrawer apparatus comprising a cash casing for storing banknotes, wherein

a banknote holder is installed to the cash casing in a cantilever fashion,